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**NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD
OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS**

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL EXAMINERS

IN THE MATTER OF THE SUSPENSION
OR REVOCATION OF THE LICENSE OF

MARCIANO B. SANTIAGO, M.D.
LICENSE NO. MA 29654

TO PRACTICE MEDICINE AND SURGERY
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

**CONSENT ORDER OF
VOLUNTARY SURRENDER
OF LICENSURE**

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners ("Board") upon receipt of information that on January 21, 2005 respondent entered into a Consent Order and Stipulation with the Michigan Board of Medicine permanently surrendering his medical license and agreeing that it shall not be renewed, reinstated, reissued or reactivated or limited or otherwise, at any future date. The Consent Order also states that respondent is not licensed in any other jurisdiction. The Consent Order was based on respondent's incompetence (a departure from, or failure to conform to minimal standards of acceptable and prevailing practice for a health profession whether or not actual

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injury to an individual occurs) in his care and treatment of patient J.Y. Patient J.Y. had a past medical history that was significant for non-insulin diabetes mellitus and a history of smoking one and a half packs a day. On December 22, 1999 J.Y. was treated by respondent who performed an incision and drainage of a cyst on patient J.Y.'s left shoulder which deteriorated over the course of the next six days, resulting in a diagnosis of necrotizing fasciitis/abscess of the back, severe ischemia of the left leg, diabetic ketoacidosis and septicemia. Patient J.Y. underwent drainage of the abscess on December 28, 1999, and subsequently had six surgical debridements for necrotizing fasciitis. His condition progressively deteriorated until he expired on January 21, 2000. Based on the Michigan Consent Order, on August 16, 2005, the State of New York Department of Health State Board for Professional Medical Conduct granted respondent's application for an agreement to allow him to surrender his New York medical license and issued the Surrender Order, citing a violation of New York Education Law §6530(9)(d).

Respondent was licensed to practice medicine and surgery in New Jersey on January 31, 1975 until he permitted that license to lapse on June 30, 1979. Based upon respondent's agreement set forth in the Michigan Consent Order and Stipulation referenced above, he represented he was not licensed in any other jurisdiction and agreed not to seek licensure in any other jurisdiction. It is

consistent with respondent's agreement referenced above and in the public interest for respondent to voluntarily surrender his New Jersey medical license with prejudice. Respondent seeks leave to voluntarily surrender his license in accordance with the terms of this Order. The Board finding the within disposition to be adequately protective of the public health, safety and welfare,

IT IS THEREFORE on this 7TH day of FEBRUARY , 2006,

ORDERED THAT:

1. Respondent, Marciano Santiago, Jr., M.D., is hereby granted leave and shall immediately surrender his license to practice medicine and surgery in the State of New Jersey with prejudice to any reapplication.

2. Respondent shall return his original New Jersey license to William Roeder, Executive Director, New Jersey State Board of Medical Examiners, P. O. Box 183, Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0183, contemporaneously with the signing of this Order.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL
EXAMINERS

Sindy M. Paul, MD, MPH

By:

Sindy M. Paul, M.D., MPH
President

I have read and understand
the contents of this Order
and agree to be bound by
its terms. Consent is
hereby given to the Board to
enter this Order.

M B Santiago Jr

Marciano B. Santiago, M.D.